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This communication is in response to Applicant's Amendment and Remarks filed February 22, 2006. In the Amendment filed February 22, 2006, Applicants have added new claim 33, which recites, "The antisense oligonucleotide of claim 31, wherein said oligonucleotide comprises the nucleobase sequence GGCAGGTCCTTCCTGTGACA (SEQ ID NO:11)". However, it is noted that the sequence recited in claim 33 is not SEQ ID NO:11, but is instead SEQ ID NO:7. In this regard, Applicant's Amendment filed February 22, 2006 is not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821 through 1.825 which requires that the disclosure be the same as the computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing.

In summary, the sequences of the disclosure and the sequences of the computer readable copy must be the same in order to be in accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.821 through 1.825. Since the sequence listed in claim 33 is not the same as the sequence listed in the computer readable copy of the sequence listing, the Amendment filed February 22, 2006 is not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821 through 1.825.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, Applicant is given ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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